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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF

ALSTEAD, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

KEENE, N. H.
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REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

For the Year Ending February 15, 1915.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN APRIL 1, 1914.

Real estate,	\$521,451 00
296 horses,	36,324 00
1 ass,	10 00
32 oxen,	2,832 00
338 cows,	18,762 00
89 neat stock,	3,322 00
228 sheep,	1,006 00
19 hogs,	230 00
Fowls,	481 00
Vehicles and automobiles,	11,876 00
Wood and lumber not stock in trade,	9,872 00
Stock in public funds,	1,900 00
Stock in national banks in this state,	2,000 00
Money on hand, at interest or on deposit,	8,798 00
Stock in trade,	13,554 00
Mills and machinery,	9,950 00
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Total valuation of town,	\$642,468 00
Soldiers' exemption,	9,500 00
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Valuation for taxation,	\$632,968 00

Rate of taxation, \$1.63 on \$100.00.

Number of polls, 216.

AMOUNT OF TAX REQUIRED BY LAW AND VOTE OF TOWN.

State tax,	\$1,200 00
County tax,	1,558 10
School tax,	3,330 00
Highways and bridges,	1,800 00
Town charges,	1,000 00
Lighting streets,	300 00
Furnishings for stage in town hall,	25 00
For a new hearse,	200 00
Construction South Side road,	1,008 00
Maintenance of state road,	100 00
Repairs of guide boards,	50 00
Library purposes,	100 00
Interest on Kingsbury fund,	36 36

ORDERS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN.

L. P. Forristall, services as selectman, 1913,	\$115 00
G. A. Gordon, services a selectman, 1913,	90 00
W. E. Crabtree, services as selectman, 1913,	100 00
Kent & Burroughs,	20 45
Treasurer of school district, balance dog licenses,	90 20
John N. Hodgkins, digging grave, Mrs. Britton,	5 00
L. P. Forristall, cash paid, stationery and postage,	6 67
Fred J. Reed, South Side road maintenance,	3 48
Mary C. Clough, board of Emma Phillips, 11 weeks,	44 00
F. R. Kingsbury, painting selectmen's room,	9 00
Herbert N. Webster, picking browntail moths,	2 70
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for April,	28 20
Herbert N. Webster, assistance, finding bounds,	1 75
B. T. Mousley, fare to Springfield, Mass., Jas. Keefe,	5 00
Fred J. Reed, South Side road mainteance,	1 68

G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to May 16,	31 11
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to May 23,	77 97
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to May 30,	206 79
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to June 12,	158 10
Fred J. Reed, South Side road maintenance,	4 20
Fred J. Reed, South Side road maintenance,	23
John N. Hodgkins, digging grave for Amasa Keyes,	3 00
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for June,	288 24
W. E. Crabtree, bounty on hedgehogs,	8 80
Mary C. Clough, board for Emma Phillips, 9 weeks,	36 00
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to June 19,	180 38
L. P. Forristall, taking James Keefe, to Concord,	21 32
B. T. Mousley, board of health attendance at Concord,	25 61
H. C. Metcalf, tools, hardware, paint, etc.,	15 09
J. R. Blood, mowing Slade cemetery,	7 00
John E. Proctor, taxes on Emma Phillips farm,	4 40
P. H. Gobie, printing posters,	3 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports,	40 80
O. P. Browe, furnishings for selectmen's room,	45
Mary C. Clough, board for Emma Phillips, 9 weeks,	36 00
L. P. Forristall, bounty on hedgehogs,	5 80
P. H. Gobie, printing check lists,	11 50
G. A. Gordon, bounty on hedgehogs,	5 80
Fred J. Reed, South Side road maintenance,	78
Fred J. Reed, South Side road signs,	3 00
L. P. Forristall, drawing cement for Demerse bridge,	12 00
L. P. Forristall, drawing gravel for Demerse bridge,	5 75
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for July,	60 59
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for August,	251 15
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to June 27,	202 14
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to July 4,	96 33
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Aug. 29,	37 41
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Sept. 5,	71 96
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Sept. 12,	151 54
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Sept. 19,	257 46

G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Sept. 26,	431 28
F. O. Hamblett, gasolene engine,	25 00
L. P. Forristall, labor and cash paid for Demerse bridge,	46 88
Fred J. Reed, gravel for state aid road,	75
Fred J. Reed, gravel for South Side road,	1 75
W. E. Crabtree, expenses to Taunton and New Bedford,	27 96
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for May,	53 37
Penn Metal Co., steel for Demerse bridge,	11 81
L. P. Forristall, labor and cash paid on Demerse bridge,	109 82
Frances A. Kimball, Woman's Relief Corps,	90
James Pmelzer, printing notices, etc., for town clerk,	3 55
Fred J. Reed, state aid road maintenance, H. C. Metcalf bill,	2 58
A. M. Bragg, cement for Demerse bridge,	82 63
Howard Hardware Co., pump and express,	32 59
Howard Hardware Co., iron for Demerse bridge,	7 02
H. C. Metcalf, tools and supplies,	41 99
H. C. Metcalf, railing for Demerse bridge,	16 62
Ralph B. Carter, use of watering trough, 1914,	2 00
Frank R. Kingsbury, supervisor of check list, 1913-1914,	20 00
Mary C. Clough, board of Emma Phillips, 13 weeks,	52 00
Fred Prentiss, election officer,	4 00
Charles G. Webster, labor, setting guide posts,	7 00
Chase Furniture Co., furniture for town hall stage,	21 85
G. A. Gordon, running town line,	3 00
L. P. Forristall, running town line,	3 00
A. L. Miner, M. D., examination of James Keefe,	7 50
C. M. Dodge, moving stone watering trough,	10 00
Fred J. Reed, state aid road maintenance, spikes,	88
Fred J. Reed, self and team, setting guide posts,	12 00
Fred J. Reed, ballot inspector,	2 00
H. C. Metcalf, hardware and tools,	7 87
W. E. Crabtree, freight on hearse,	18 60
Wm. A. Carroll, hearse,	400 00
Mason Bros., tuning piano,	2 50

D. P. Browe, looking glass for town hall stage,	30
W. E. Crabtree, interest on note,	15 00
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, state tax,	1,200 00
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, county tax,	1,558 10
Sarah J. Fish, overtax,	7 33
R. M. Brackett, supervisor of check list, 1913-1914,	20 00
Frank R. Kingsbury, interest on note,	15 00
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for Sept.,	268 27
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for Oct.,	169 56
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for Nov.	51 32
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid for Dec.,	27 87
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, balance of county tax,	28 76
Sarah J. Moore, supplies for voting stalls,	2 47
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Oct. 3,	200 64
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Oct. 10,	220 91
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Oct. 17,	184 48
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Oct. 24,	200 29
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Oct. 31,	221 18
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Nov. 7,	272 03
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Nov. 14,	77 27
G. A. Gordon, South Side road construction to Dec. 5,	110 53
C. L. Russell & Sons, posts for guide boards,	11 00
G. A. Gordon, bounty on hedgehogs,	5 60
Connecticut River National Bank; interest on note,	18 00
G. A. Gordon, services as selectman to Jan. 7, 1915,	60 00
G. A. Gordon, telephone bill,	3 86
F. B. Trow, repairing wall, Alstead Center cemetery,	45 20
Dr. Blodgett, examining James Keefe,	7 50
Dr. William, returning births and deaths,	1 25
Fred J. Reed, South Side road, F. J. Marvin's bill,	60
Fred J. Reed, South Side road, gravel,	85
Fred J. Reed, South Side road, gravel,	25
Fred J. Reed, South Side road, gravel,	1 00
Fred J. Reed, South Side road, gravel,	15
Hammond Thorn, sheep killed by dogs,	4 00

L. P. Forristall, bounty on hedgehogs,	8 00
C. E. Hatch, keeping light and furnishing oil,	5 25
H. C. Metcalf, tools and hardware,	4 08
E. T. Stevens, breaking roads, 1913-1914,	3 30
Lucy W. Osborn, use of watering trough, 1914,	2 00
John H. Allen, sheep killed by dogs,	35 00
John H. Allen, supervisor, check list, 1913-1914,	20 00
John H. Allen, taking James Keefe to Concord,	2 50
C. L. Linsley, moderator, March meeting, 1914,	3 00
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, library trustees,	100 00
W. F. Gilman, ballot inspector,	4 00
M. F. Green, sheep killed by dogs,	20 00
W. E. Crabtree, bounty on hedgehogs,	6 00
H. J. Pratt, use of watering trough, 1913-1914,	4 00
H. J. Pratt, damage crossing land with gravel,	5 00
W. O. Blake, use of watering trough, 1914,	2 00
Kent & Burroughs, repair of tools, etc.,	12 10
Selectmen of Walpole, 1-6 maintenance, Tucker bridge,	217 58
E. A. Mitchell, care of town clock, 18 weeks,	4 50
Connecticut River National Bank, note and interest,	606 00
Frank Dewing, auditor, 1914,	4 00
H. W. Jewett, making and repairing guide boards,	45 95
H. W. Jewett, repairs on tools, etc.,	7 47
C. J. Newell, auditor, 1914,	4 00
C. J. Newell, lumber for guide boards,	6 25
C. J. Newell, surveying town line,	7 50
L. P. Forristall, bounty on hedgehogs,	4 00
C. E. Blanchard, care of town clock,	8 50
C. E. Blanchard, ballot clerk,	2 00
E. M. Smith, insurance on town hall,	30 00
F. B. Trow, labor and expense, cemetery trust funds,	72 77
F. J. Marvin, services as town treasurer,	45 00
F. J. Marvin, services as janitor, town hall,	45 00
F. J. Marvin, services as overseer of poor,	25 00
F. J. Marvin, school treasurer, literary fund,	91 44

F. J. Marvin, school treasurer, portion of school fund,	326 49
Oliver Badger, police, July 3 and 4, 1914,	2 00
F. J. Marvin, school treasurer, interest on Kingsbury fund,	36 36
J. A. Rawson, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1915,	1 75
W. E. Crabtree, putting up guide boards,	6 00
H. B. Chapin, teams ordered by foreman, South Side road construction,	9 50
B. T. Mousley, services and supplies board of health,	23 10
B. T. Mousley, returning vital statistics,	4 50
B. T. Mousley, services and telephoning, James Keefe case,	4 10
Fred B. Trow, care of cemeteries,	24 00
F. B. Trow, sexton,	27 00
C. B. Trow, work, account of new hearse,	10 75
W. W. Dinsmore, abatement of taxes,	55 20
W. W. Dinsmore, tax collector,	100 00
Don H. Still, labor and cash paid Jan. and Feb.,	5 25
C. E. Ellis, work on Mary Wells lot,	4 00
C. E. Ellis, work on Martha Brown lot,	6 60
C. E. Ellis, work on J. C. Kimball lot, etc.,	6 00
F. J. Marvin, school treasurer, balance Mary Wells fund,	16 40
G. F. Lewis, freight on culverts,	2 80
C. E. Ellis, Martha Brown gift,	90 00
J. H. Allen, police,	14 00
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, state aid road maintenance,	63 08
F. J. Marvin, treasurer, South Side road maintenance,	56 78
F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, tramp bill,	18 50
North East Metal Co., culverts,	61 22
G. A. Messer, board of health,	6 00
F. J. Marvin, supplies and repairs for town hall,	24 25
F. J. Marvin, snow bills for 1914,	139 42
H. C. Metcalf, town clerk,	30 00
H. C. Metcalf, postage, stationery and express,	6 45
H. C. Metcalf, recording vital statistics,	5 70
H. C. Metcalf, perfecting 160 birth records,	40 00

Adam Gyski, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1915,	3 00
Mary C. Clough, board, Emma Phillips to Feb. 16, 1915,	44 00
L. P. Forristall, repairs, Emma Phillips barn,	1 50
I. A. Craig, use of watering trough to Feb. 15, 1915,	1 50
I. A. Craig, police, July 3 and 4,	4 00
F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, county pauper claims to April 1,	26 71
F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, county pauper claims to Oct. 1.,	146 52
F. J. Marvin, overseer of poor, county pauper claims to Feb. 15,	89 10
Austin E. Fish, overtax,	3 06
Fall Mountain Electric Co., lighting town hall,	56 37
W. E. Crabtree, postage and stationery,	1 20
L. P. Forristall, balance due on Demerse bridge,	52 89
A. B. Reed, account of Burns fire, Nov., 1913,	3 60
D. P. Browe, furnishings for town hall,	35
H. P. Abbott, treasurer, precinct, lighting streets,	300 00
Connecticut River National Bank, notes and interest,	1,327 60

SOUTH SIDE TRUNK LINE CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT.

Unexpended joint fund,	\$1,139 23
Amount raised by town,	1,008 00
Amount raised by state,	1,008 00
Expended by G. A. Gordon, foreman,	\$3,591 01
Joint fund on hand,	\$366 66
Job not finished, account incomplete.	

SOUTH SIDE TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

Town's appropriation,	\$80 00
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State's appropriation,	200 00
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	\$280 00

Expended by F. J. Reed,	\$216 84
Bills paid by town,	16 82
Administration and inspection by state,	2 45
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	\$236 11

Balance,	\$43 89
Paid by town orders,	\$73 60
Paid by state check,	162 51
Balance in town treasury, February 15, 1915,	6 40
Balance in state treasury, February 15, 1915,	37 49

STATE AID ROAD MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

Balance in state treasury, February 15,	
1914,	\$107 32
State's appropriation,	50 00
Balance in town treasury, February 15,	
1914,	53 65
Town's appropriation,	20 00
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	\$230 97

Expended by F. J. Reed,	\$208 79
Bills paid by town,	5 36
Administration and inspection by state,	2 47
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	\$216 62
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Balance,	\$14 35

Paid by town orders,	\$68 44
Paid by state check,	148 18
Balance in town treasury, February 15, 1915,	5 21
Balance in state treasury, February 15, 1915,	9 14

GUIDE BOARD ACCOUNT.

Appropriated by town,	\$50 00
H. W. Jewett, painting boards,	\$45 95
F. J. Reed and team, setting posts,	12 00
Charles Webster, setting posts,	7 00
C. L. Russell & Sons, posts,	11 00
C. J. Newell, lumber,	6 25
W. E. Crabtree, putting up guide boards,	6 00
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	\$88 20
Overdraft,	\$38 20

UPPER DEMERSE BRIDGE ACCOUNT.

L. P. Forristall, for labor,	\$47 50
Pat Shehan,	14 88
Myrle Page,	88
John Mashia,	29 75
Joe Ostosh,	14 88
Charlie Winham,	5 25
George Simmons,	4 38
J. M. Fiske,	1 75
For team work,	64 00
For 1215 feet of lumber at \$18,	21 87
Penn Metal Co., for reinforcement,	11 81
A. M. Bragg, for cement,	82 63

Howard Hardware Co., iron rods,	7 02
H. C. Metcalf, for railing,	16 62
Lewis Demerse, for gravel,	2 50
L. P. Forristall, for gravel,	5 00
L. P. Forristall, for tending lights,	5 25
Carrol Hatch, for tending lights,	5 25
W. E. Crabtree, for labor,	4 20

\$345 42

Received from balance due on Porter bridge,	\$3 53
Received from balance due on Surry road bridge,	28 09
Received note of Emma E. Dinsmore,	300 00
Received balance from town treasury,	13 80

\$345 42

EMMA PHILLIPS FARM ACCOUNT.

Balance due Emma Phillips, Feb. 15, 1914,	\$632 82
Paid Mary C. Clough, 52 weeks' board,	\$208 00
Paid collector of Walpole, taxes,	4 40
Paid J. M. Fiske, repairs on barn,	1 50
Received of John Crotto, note and interest,	\$33 00
Received of J. M. Fiske, for hay,	12 50

ACCOUNT OF FURNISHINGS FOR TOWN HALL.

Amount appropriated by vote of town,	\$25 00
Paid for 5 chairs and a table, etc.,	\$21 85
Paid for looking glass and pitcher,	65
Paid Mason Bros., tuning piano,	2 50

\$25 00

HEARSE ACCOUNT.

Amount raised by vote of town,	\$200 00
Gift of Charles N. Vilas,	200 00
Gift of Mrs. J. Kimball Hooper,	200 00
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	\$600 00
Paid W. E. Crabtree, expenses to Taunton and New Bedford,	\$27 96
Paid W. E. Crabtree, freight,	18 60
Paid William A. Carroll, for hearse,	400 00
Paid F. B. Trow, work on account of new hearse,	10 75
Balance,	142 69
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	\$600 00

BOARD OF HEALTH ACCOUNT.

B. T. Mousley, expenses, attending sanitary convention,	\$25 61
B. T. Mousley, services, disinfecting, etc.,	23 10
G. A. Messer, services,	6 00
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	\$54 71

POLICE AND CONSTABLE REPORT.

Oliver Badger, police, July 3 and 4, 1914,	\$2 00
J. H. Allen, April 11, visit to Joseph Yucas, complaint of Steven Ament,	2 00
J. H. Allen, July 3 and 4, services as police,	6 00
J. H. Allen, December 11, guard at the outer door, town hall,	2 00
J. H. Allen, December 30, investigating complaint of Mr. Watkins and Dr. Mousley,	2 00

J. H. Allen, January 1, visit to Albert Hammell, com- plaint of Mrs. Hammell,	2 00
I. A. Craig, police, July 3 and 4, 1914,	4 00
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	\$20 00

SHEEP KILLED OR WORRIED BY DOGS.

Balance in treasury, February 15, 1914,	\$90 20
Received from town clerk, for dog licenses,	135 60
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	\$225 80
 Paid John H. Allen, sheep killed by dogs,	 \$35 00
Paid M. F. Green, sheep killed by dogs,	20 00
Paid Hammond Thorn, sheep killed by dogs,	4 00
Paid F. J. Marvin, school treasurer,	90 20
Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915,	76 60
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	\$225 80

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS ACCOUNT.

Principal deposited in Savings Bank of Walpole, interest to be used in the upkeep of the several lots.

Eveline F. Holbrook account, principal, \$200.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$8 10
July 1, Dividend,	8 00
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	\$16 10
 May 21, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	 \$0 30
May 27, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 9, Righting stones,	1 00
June 16, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 27, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30

July 7, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
July 18, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 3, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 20, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 21, Cleaning stones,	2 00
Aug. 21, Fertilizer,	50
Oct. 12, Work in other parts of yard,	1 00
Oct. 22, Work in other parts of yard,	1 00
Oct. 23, Cleaning lot,	20
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	\$8 10

Edith H. Kimball account, principal \$200.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$0 10
July 1, Dividend,	8 00
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	\$8 10

May 21, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	\$0 30
May 28, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 8, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
June 19, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
June 13, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
July 6, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
July 17, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
July 31, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Aug. 3, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Aug. 20, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Aug. 20, Fertilizer,	50
Sept. 12, Work in other parts of yard,	1 00
Sept. 15, Work in other parts of yard,	1 00
Sept. 15, Cleaning stone,	1 00
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	\$8 10

Francis Gibson fund account, principal, \$100.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$1 79
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July 1,	Dividend,	4 00
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		\$5 79
May 21,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	\$0 30
May 28,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 15,	Righting stones,	75
June 18,	Mowing lot, 1 hour,	20
July 15,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 20,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Sept. 2,	Cleaning stones,	2 50
Sept. 2,	Fertilizer,	50
Sept. 15,	Mowing and work on lot,	32
Oct. 1,	Mowing and working on lot,	32
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		\$5 79

Abbie A. Lovell account, principal, \$200.00.

Feb. 15, 1914,	Balance in treasury,	\$1 10
July 1,	Dividend,	8 00
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		\$9 10
May 28,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	\$0 30
June 8,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
June 27,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
July 13,	Mowing and work on stones,	75
July 30,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Aug. 7,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 20,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Sept. 3,	Cleaning stone,	3 00
Sept. 12,	Righting stone,	75
Sept. 12,	Fertilizer,	75
Oct. 2,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Oct. 12,	Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 1-2 hours,	50
Oct. 22,	Raking and seeding,	25
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		\$9 10

Samuel K. Elwell account, principal, \$100.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$0 74
July 1, Dividend,	4 00
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	\$4 74
May 27, Mowing lot and setting stones,	\$0 60
June 8, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 19, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
July 6, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
July 17, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 12, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 21, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Sept. 5, Laying over and fertilizing lot,	2 34
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	\$4 74

Ellen L. Porter account, principal, \$100.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$0 74
July 1, Dividend,	4 00
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	\$4 74
May 11, Grading and seeding lot,	\$2 24
July 6, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
July 18, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
Aug. 10, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
Aug. 22, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
Sept. 20, Cleaning stones,	1 50
Sept. 30, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
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	\$4 74

Paschal P. Banks account, principal, \$100.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,,	\$0 54
July 1, Dividend,	4 00
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	\$4 54

May 21, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	\$0 30
May 28, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 8, Righting stones,	50
June 18, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 30, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
July 7, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
July 18, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 12, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 22, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Sept. 1, Cleaning stones,	1 00
Sept. 12, Mowing and raking,	32
Sept. 15, Fertilizer,	32

\$4 54

Rev. John C. Kimball account, principal, \$500.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$7 00
July 1, Dividend,	20 00

\$27 00

May 27, Work on John Burge lot,	\$0 40
June 7, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 hours,	40
June 20, Mowing and cleaning lot, 2 hours,	40
July 6, Work on lot,	30
July 31, Work on lot,	30
Aug. 20, Work on lot,	30
Sept. 8, Laying over Bullard lot,	4 00
Sept. 8, Righting and cleaning stones,	1 00
Aug. 4, Paint,	1 50
Aug. 5, Work on other parts of yard,	5 00
Sept. 6, Work on other parts of yard,	2 30
Sept. 11, Work on other parts of yard,	1 10
Paid C. E. Ellis, work on Richardson lot,	6 00

\$23 00 /

Balance February 15, 1915,	\$4 00
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Mary A. Dinsmore account, principal \$100.00.

July 1, Dividend,	\$4 00
May 9, Grading lot,	\$1 00
May 21, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
May 28, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 hour,	20
June 8, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
June 27, Mowing and cleaning stone,	50
July 26, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 20, Mowing and cleaning lot, 1 1-2 hours,	30
Aug. 20, Work and grass seed,	20
Sept. 1, Fertilizer,	50
Oct. 1, Mowing and work on lot,	50
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	\$4 00

Ellen S. Milliken account, principal, \$100.00.

No dividend available.

Leonard O. Shepard account, principal, \$100.00.

Feb. 15, 1914, Balance in treasury,	\$2 66
July 1, Dividend,	4 00
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	\$6 66
May 27, Mowing lots and righting stones,	\$1 00
Aug. 9, Grading lot and cleaning stones,	1 66
Sept. 10, Work and cash paid in other parts of yard,	4 00
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	\$6 66

Mary A. Wells account, principal, \$510.00.

July 1, Dividend,	\$20 40
Paid C. E. Ellis, work on Smith lot, East Alstead,	\$4 00
Paid F. J. Marvin, school treasurer,	16 40
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	\$20 40

MARTHA BROWNE GIFT, NORTH CEMETERY, EAST
ALSTEAD.

Balance in treasury, February 15, 1914,	\$92 76
Paid C. E. Ellis, labor and monument,	90 00
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Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915,	\$2 76

REPAIRS OF CEMETERIES ACCOUNT.

Balance in treasury, February 15, 1914,	\$51 05
Unexpended balance trust funds,	43 51
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	\$94 56
F. B. Trow, care of cemeteries,	\$24 00
John Blood, mowing Slade cemetery,	7 00
F. B. Trow, wall at Alstead Center,	45 20
Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915,	18 36
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	\$94 56

LIABILITIES.

Due on cemetery funds,	\$58 95
Due on Emma Phillips farm account,	472 92
Due on South Side road maintenance,	6 40
Due on state aid road maintenance,	5 21
Due on dog licenses, for schools,	76 60
Due on Frank Kingsbury note,	300 00
Due on W. E. Crabtree note,	300 00
Due on Mrs. Emma E. Dinsmore note,	300 00
Due on George P. Kingsbury (2) notes,	1,000 00
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	\$2,520 08

ASSETS.

Due from county commissioners, pauper claims,	\$89 10
Due from Emma Phillips farm,	1,000 00
Due from Fred Pratt, for hay,	12 50
Cash on hand,	481 11
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	\$1,582 71
Amount of liabilities over assets,	\$937 37

LESLIE P. FORRISTALL,
 CHARLES F. PIERCE,
 WILLIS E. CRABTREE,
 Selectmen of Alstead.

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1915.

State tax,	\$1,200 00
County tax,	1,600 00
Schools,	3,000 00
Roads and bridges,	1,800 00
Ordinary town charges,	1,200 00
South Side road maintenance,	100 00
State aid road maintenance,	100 00
State aid road construction,	316 00

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers therefor.

C. J. NEWELL,
 D. P. BROWE,
 Auditors of Alstead.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF WARREN FUND.

The principal is invested in Stowe, Vt., town bonds, the Savings Bank of Walpole, and Amoskeag Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H.

Interest account as follows:

Cash received for interest,	\$230 53
Paid Martin L. Richardson, for care of Warren lot and postage,	\$2 65
Balance paid F. J. Marvin, treasurer, for benefit of schools,	227 88
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	\$230 53

MARTIN L. RICHARDSON,
MELBERN E. KNIGHT,
WILLIAM W. DINSMORE,

Trustees of Warren Fund.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK.

Henry C. Metcalf, town clerk, in account with dog licenses :

Number of dogs, as per list of selectmen,	60
Number of dogs licensed,	67
Number of dogs on list not licensed,	1
Number of dogs not on list licensed,	6
Number of 1913 licenses paid,	2
Licenses on 62 male dogs at \$2 each,	\$124 00
Licenses on 5 female dogs at \$5 each,	25 00
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	\$149 00
67 license fees at 20c each,	13 40
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Balance due and deposited in town treasury,	\$135 60

Henry C. Metcalf, town clerk, in account with registration fees of candidates at direct primaries :

Received of J. W. Prentiss, candidate for moderator,	\$1 00
Received of C. J. Newell, candidate for representative,	2 00
Received of H. C. Metcalf, candidate for representative,	2 00
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Amount due and deposited in town treasury,	\$5 00

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY C. METCALF,
Town Clerk.

State of New Hampshire, Cheshire, ss.

Personally appeared Henry C. Metcalf and made oath to the truth of the above reports. Before me.

E. M. SMITH,
Justice of the Peace.

Alstead, N. H., February, 1915.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

TOWN PAUPERS.

H. B. Chapin, keeping tramps,	\$10 50
F. J. Marvin, feed for tramps,	8 00
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	\$18 50

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Ida M. Burroughs, support, Samuel Willis,	\$115 93
Medical attendance, supplies, wood and clothing furnished Jasper Smith family,	73 40
Lucy Smith, washing and work for Jasper Smith family,	20 25
Medical attendance, care and burial, Amasa Keyes,	50 00
Lodging and transportation, Jack Chaney,	2 75
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	\$262 33

F. J. MARVIN,
Overseer of Poor.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending February 15, 1915.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand February 15, 1914,	\$191 84
Received of selectmen, cash borrowed of G. P. Kingsbury,	500 00
Borrowed of G. P. Kingsbury,	500 00
Borrowed of Connecticut River National Bank,	600 00
Borrowed of Connecticut River National Bank,	800 00
Borrowed of Connecticut River National Bank,	500 00
Borrowed of E. E. Dinsmore, on account Demerse bridge,	300 00
Selectmen, gift from C. N. Vilas and Mrs. J. K. Hooper, for hearse,	400 00
Selectmen, on account South Side road,	900 00
Selectmen, on account of South Side road,	300 00
Selectmen, on account of South Side road,	494 10
Selectmen, county pauper claims,	320 37
Selectmen, dividend, cemetery trust funds,	109 06
Registration fees,	5 00
H. C. Metcalf, town clerk, dog licenses,	135 60
State, forest fires,	7 00
License commission,	117 77
State, bounty on hedgehogs,	62 40
State, literary fund,	91 44
State, proportion school fund,	326 49
State, savings bank tax,	445 09
Rent, Grange hall,	40 00

Rent, G. A. R. hall,	10 00
Rent, town hall,	85 00
W. W. Dinsmore, collector, interest on taxes,	10 00
W. W. Dinsmore, collector, added tax,	81 20
W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	7,379 12
Selectmen, John Crotto, note and interest,	33 00
Selectmen, hay sold to J. M. Fish from Phillips farm,	12 50
Selectmen, part expense running town line, town of Langdon,	3 75
Selectmen, cement sold,	3 50
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	\$14,764 23

EXPENDITURES.

Orders issued by selectmen,	\$14,283 12
Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915,	481 11
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	\$14,764 23

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the treasurer of the town of Alstead and find them correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers.

C. J. NEWELL,
D. P. BOWE,
Auditors.

REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONER

For the Year Ending February 15, 1915.

MONEY PAID OUT BY ORDER OF SELECTMEN.

APRIL.

Don H. Still, for labor,	\$22 00
J. D. Smith, for labor,	2 00
Marshall Priest, for labor,	2 60
George Burroughs, for labor,	1 60
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	\$28 20

MAY.

Don H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$34 50
Grover Clark, for labor,	4 00
Willie Wilson, for labor,	1 75
Jasper Smith, for labor,	9 00
Walter Wilson, for labor,	4 12
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	\$53 37

JUNE.

Don H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$51 75
W. E. Crabtree, for labor,	3 89
Mike Russell, for labor,	19 25
John Murahoh, for labor,	19 25

Harold Smith, for labor,	53 75
Patsy Burns, for labor,	29 75
J. D. Smith, for labor,	68 00
Jasper Smith, for labor,	32 10
Patsy Shean, for labor,	10 50
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	\$288 24

JUNE.

Don H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$27 50
H. O. Porter, for labor,	12 07
E. L. Allen, for labor,	21 02
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	\$60 59

AUGUST.

Don H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$43 50
H. R. Thayer, for labor,	1 75
Mrs. Flora Smith, for team,	40 00
James Brooks, for labor,	26 24
George Young, for labor,	13 12
Jasper Smith, for labor,	25 27
John Muraho, for labor,	16 62
Patsy Shean, for labor,	21 39
J. D. Smith, for labor,	34 00
Seth Hemenway, for labor,	21 39
Willie Wilson, for labor,	7 87
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	\$251 15

SEPTEMBER.

Don H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$59 00
J. D. Smith, for labor,	36 00
Willie Wilson, for labor,	23 45

John Muraho, for labor,	30 95
Charlie Prentiss, for labor,	5 00
J. W. Prentiss,	9 75
E. Crosby, for labor,	10 50
George Young, for labor,	14 00
Robert Burroughs, for labor,	5 25
F. F. Gilman, for labor,	4 60
Prentiss Britton, for labor,	16 00
L. P. Forristall, for labor,	39 12
Patsy Shean, for labor,	5 65
James Brooks, for labor,	9 00
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	\$268 27

OCTOBER.

D. H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$39 50
A. E. Wilder, for labor,	10 30
Geo. G. Bowen,, bridge plank,	86 11
George Lakin, for labor,	3 65
M. W. Abbott,	5 50
George Young, for labor,	3 50
Willie Wilson, for labor,	21 00
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	\$169 56

NOVEMBER.

D. H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$20 00
A. E. Wilder, for labor,	4 00
Walter Wilson, for labor,	5 25
W. O. Blake, for labor,	10 87
C. J. Newell,	9 80
H. C. Metcalf,	1 40
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	\$51 32

DECEMBER.

D. H. Still, for labor and cash paid for labor,	\$8 50
H. O. Porter, for labor,	10 32
Kent & Burroughs,	9 05
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	\$27 87

JANUARY TO FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

D. Still for labor,	\$5 25
James Linsley,	4 00
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	\$9 25
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Total amount of expenditures,	\$1,207 82
Amount of money appropriated,	\$1,800 00
D. H. Still, labor and material,	\$1,207 82
Unexpended balance,	592 18
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	\$1,800 00

Respectfully submitted,
DON H. STILL,
Road Commissioner of Alstead.

BILLS PAID BY SELECTMEN FOR BREAKING ROADS
FROM FEBRUARY 15 TO MARCH 10, 1914, APPROVED

BY GEORGE F. LEWIS, ROAD AGENT.

G. B. Van Wagenen,	\$2 80
Don H Still,	2 00
E. B. Rhodes,	1 20

Charles Friehofer,	7 00
B. W. Burroughs,	3 20
M. W. Abbott,	6 75
G. A. Lakin,	2 80
Joseph Blodgett, Jr.,	1 35
A. E. Wilder,	3 10
H. O. Porter,	8 40
M. A. Currier,	11 00
E. L. Allen,	4 20
A. M. French,	2 10
J. P. Kemp,	4 60
J. A. Linsley,	7 00
J. D. Smith,	80
I. A. Craig,	47 80
S. S. Pratt,	6 15
W. O. Blake,	8 20
Edward Baine,	6 00
Wilson boys,	2 97
North East Metal Co., culverts,	61 22
G. F. Lewis, freight,	2 80
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	\$203 44
Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1914,	\$24 96
Road agent's balance, Feb. 15, 1915,	592 18
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	\$617 14
Expended by selectmen,	203 44
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Balance in treasury, February 15, 1915,	\$413 70

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

The library trust funds are invested as follows:

JOHN G. SHEDD TRUST FUNDS.

40 shares Illinois Central Railroad, par value, \$100.00.
 36 shares First State Pawnors' Society, par value, \$100.00.
 40 shares Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Co., par value, \$100.00.

FANNIE CARPENTER TRUST FUND.

Deposited in Walpole Savings Bank, book No. 2570, amount due
 July 1st, 1914, \$500.00, with accrued interest to January 1st,
 1915.

KIMBALL TRUST FUNDS.

Deposited in Walpole Savings Bank, book No. 3733, amount due
 July 1st, 1914, \$1,292.33, with accrued interest to January
 1st, 1915; Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H., book
 No. 107,116, amount due July 1st, 1914, \$1,145.98, with
 accrued interest to January 1st, 1915.

Total number of books in library,	4,172
Number of books circulated for the year ending Jan. 1, 1915,	5,551

Magazines,	3,151
Readers,	1,533
Total number of books added,	139

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. MARVIN,
C. J. NEWELL,
MRS. LUCY LINSLEY,
FRANK DEWING,
J. P. KEMP,
MRS. S. J. FISH,
Library Trustees.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1914,	\$32 03
Cash received from town,	100 00
Cash received from water rent,	67 50
Cash received from Fannie Carpenter trust fund,	20 00
Cash received from Walpole Savings Bank, Kimball fund,	51 68
Cash received from Amoskeag Bank, Kimball fund,	45 80
Cash received from John G. Shedd trust funds,	677 32
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	\$994 33

EXPENDITURES.

Harriet G. Brown, librarian,	\$300 00
G. H. Howard, repairs on lawn mower,	2 00
G. H. Howard, janitor,	66 00
W. F. Gilman, janitor,	122 50

Day Pollard Co., books,	55 05
National Meter Co., balance due,	45 20
Moore Cottrell Co., magazines,	44 70
Howard Hardware Co., coal,	143 31
Transportation of books to East Alstead,	12 00
C. D. Cooke, labor on water works,	5 75
Joseph Porter, labor on water works,	5 75
George Young, labor on water works,	2 25
C. M. Dodge, labor on water works,	52 64
C. J. Newell, slab wood,	13 50
G. F. Lewis, drawing coal,	26 05
Fall Mountain Electric Co.,	68 52
H. C. Metcalf, sundries,	5 65
F. J. Marvin, sundries,	5 50

\$976 37

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1915,

17 96

\$994 33

F. J. MARVIN,
Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the Shedd-Porter Memorial library and find them correct with proper vouchers.

C. J. NEWELL,
D. P. BROWE,
Auditors.

PRECINCT REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

1914.		
Jan. 15.	Received of F. W. Sherwin,	\$20 65
Oct. 10.	Received of W. W. Dinsmore,	320 00
Dec. 1.	Received of W. W. Dinsmore,	160 00
1915.		
Feb. 13.	Received of W. W. Dinsmore,	1 23
Feb. 13.	Received of W. W. Dinsmore, additional tax,	13 83
Feb. 19.	Received of F. J. Marvin,	300 00
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EXPENDITURES.

1914.		
Sept. 18.	Paid H. C. Metcalf,	\$3 12
Oct. 12.	Paid Electric Light Co.,	320 00
Dec. 21.	Paid Electric Light Co.,	160 00
1915.		
Feb. 15.	Paid Howard Hardware Co.,	11 77
Feb. 20.	Paid Electric Light Co., to March 1, 1915,	189 37
Feb. 20.	Cash on hand,	131 45
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H. P. ABBOTT,
Treasurer of Precinct.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

To the Selectmen and Citizens of Alstead :

We have had no contagious diseases in town during the past year and very few complaints of nuisances. We have had, however, two deaths from tuberculosis, one a citizen, the other coming into town from Boston. After these deaths the houses were thoroughly fumigated.

The sanitary conditions of the schools have been much better than in previous years. We have followed the instructions of the state board of health as far as possible in regard to the vaccination of school children.

Two members of the local board attended the sanitary conference held in Concord last spring and received much valuable information and instructions from the state board of health.

We have prohibited smoking and loafing in all stores and places where food and confectionery is on sale, and although it has not been fully lived up to, the conditions have greatly improved.

WILLIS E. CRABTREE,
BAYARD T. MOUSLEY,
GEORGE A. MESSER,

Board of Health.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending February 15, 1915.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1914,	\$221 76
Cash received of W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	3,330 00
Cash received of trustees of Warren fund,	227 88
Cash received, literary fund,	91 44
Cash received, proportion school fund,	326 49
Cash received, town of Langdon, tuition,	39 60
Cash received, selectmen, Kingsbury fund,	36 36
Cash received, selectmen, Wells fund for schools,	16 40
Cash received, W. E. Chase, contributed for special instruction, Alstead Center schools,	75 00
Cash received, M. A. Currier, contributed for special instruction, Alstead Center school,	25 00
Received of selectmen, balance dog tax, 1914,	90 20
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	\$4,480 13

EXPENDITURES.

Total amount of orders,	\$4,055 72
Cash in treasury, February 15, 1915,	424 41
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	\$4,480 13

F. J. MARVIN,
School Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the Alstead School District and find them correctly cast and balanced with proper vouchers therefor.

C. J. NEWELL,
D. P. BROWE,
Auditors.

ORDERS ISSUED BY SCHOOL BOARD.

Hazel Faught, teaching,	\$48 00
Carrie Tarbell, teaching and janitor, 1 week,	13 75
Louise Roberts, teaching, one week,	9 75
S. Ament, milcage, 12 weeks,	6 00
Isaac Craig, 4 cords wood,	23 30
A. A. Woodward, janitor work,	3 00
H. W. Page, janitor work,	2 40
H. E. Page, banking school house and wood,	2 75
Hattie E. Straw, teaching, 1 week,	12 00
Ruth H. Parker, teaching, 1 week,	10 00
Mary E. Perkins, teaching, 1 week,	12 00
Martha H. Hoyt, teaching and janitor,	32 50
Hazel Faught, teaching, 3 weeks,	36 00
Arabelle E. Crain, tuition,	20 25
Mrs. E. M. Reed, transportation of Gladys Whipple,	8 25
W. H. Spalter, books,	26 46
Sentinel Printing Co., letterheads,	4 75
Howard Hardware Co., turpentine and oil,	73
Martha H. Hoyt, 5 weeks' salary,	60 00
School district of Walpole, tuition,	31 17
Carroll Hatch, wood,	7 50
A. A. Woodward, janitor work,	16 40
A. J. Fish, carpenter work,	1 00
Milton Bradley Co., school supplies,	4 70
Sarah J. Moore, school supplies,	8 72

Hazel Faught, salary, .	48 00
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	48 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	48 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	48 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	48 00
Wesley O. Blake, work,	20 00
George L. Plimpton, tuition of Esther M. Newell and Edna R. Green,	26 66
George Wilson, janitor work,	2 25
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	48 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	48 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	48 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	48 00
Hazel Faught, salary to date,	36 00
Martha H. Hoyt, on account,	48 00
Kimball Union Academy, tuition of Claude Blanchard,	12 00
Edward E. Babb & Co., books and supplies,	31 32
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	36 00
W. O. Blake, wood, work, etc.,	21 75
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	36 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	36 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	36 00
Martha H. Hoyt, salary in full to date,	208 00
Hazel Faught, salary in full to date,	36 00
Fred Prentiss, mileage to date,	20 25
Herbert Green, mileage to date,	8 25
John Croto, mileage to date,	21 00
J. D. Smith, labor,	1 50
Harry Page, janitor work,	3 20
A. A. Woodward, services as janitor,	19 00
H. C. Metcalf, school supplies,	2 12
Mrs. E. M. Reed, tuition of Gladys Whipple,	9 00
Elmer Rhodes, mileage, spring term,	6 90
A. W. Shepard, work on district No. 4,	28 31
Sarah J. Moore, school supplies,	6 47

A. W. Shepard, labor on school house,	4 85
George E. Welch & Son, 22 rolls of wall paper,	2 20
C. J. Newell, wood, lumber, etc.,	4 35
A. J. Fish, repairing blinds,	1 50
H. C. Metcalf, paint and supplies,	39 46
J. L. Nash, moving flagpole to Alstead Center,	1 50
W. O. Blake, lumber, paint and labor,	45 06
A. D. Yaeger, repairs at Forristall and Center schools,	66 30
David P. Browe, window shades,	3 85
Freeman Johnson, work at East Alstead,	38 10
B. R. Taylor, work at East Alstead,	43 29
Sarah J. Fish, supplies and telephone,	3 07
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	48 00
J. A. Rawson, team hire and preparing state report,	15 45
Martha H. Hoyt, salary to date,	60 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	52 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	48 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	48 00
Marion Firmin, salary to date,	48 00
A. M. Bragg, lumber for East Alstead,	33 18
C. M. Dodge, enumeration of school children,	8 00
G. F. Lewis, wood and lumber,	33 00
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	3 53
George L. Plimpton, tuition of Edna R. Green and Esther M. Newell,	26 68
Alba M. Callowhill, tutoring Floyd Rhodes,	6 00
E. A. Mitchell, repairing clock,	1 00
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	48 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	48 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	48 00
Marion E. Firmin, salary to date,	48 00
Martha H. Hoyt, salary to date,	60 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	52 00

John H. Dickey, services, clerk, school board,	4 00
W. E. Crabtree, wood for district No. 5,	9 00
Milton Bradley Co., school material,	1 85
Howard Hardware Co., hardware,	10 51
Milton Bradley Co., school supplies,	2 10
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	48 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	48 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	48 00
Marion E. Firmin, salary to date,	48 00
Martha H. Hoyt, salary to date,	60 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	52 00
H. C. Metcalf, radiator, stove pipe, etc.,	7 05
Fred Prentiss, mileage to date,	16 80
W. F. Gilman, services as janitor,	25 00
Miss Effie Taylor, work,	3 00
H. E. Page, wood and janitor work,	13 00
Mrs. E. M. Reed, teaching Gladys Whipple and Pearl Howard,	10 30
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	36 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	36 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	36 00
Marion E. Firmin, salary to date,	36 00
Martha H. Hoyt, salary to date,	45 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	39 00
William C. Hall, tuition of Mary Chase,	13 33
Fred Prentiss, mileage to date,	4 50
Fannie M. Pettingill, services as janitor,	7 50
C. J. Newell, wood for Center School,	3 00
Martha H. Hoyt, services as janitor,	11 25
Fred C. Hall, wood,	2 25
Sarah J. Moore, school supplies,	24 63
H. C. Metcalf, stove grates, window glass,	7 95
Mrs. Elmer Rhodes, mileage to date,	7 65

George L. Plimpton, tuition of Edna R. Green and Esther M. Newell,	26 66
John Croto, mileage to date,	8 00
Ginn & Co., books,	8 64
Edward E. Babb & Co., books, report cards,	3 10
American Book Co., books,	8 00
W. H. Spalter, receipt book,	87
Fred Kingsbury, services as truant officer,	5 00
A. E. Crain, tuition of Clarence Shelley,	9 00
H. C. Strout, postage, express, telephones,	4 16
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	48 00
Hattie E. Straw, salary to date,	48 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	48 00
Marion E. Firmin, salary to date,	48 00
Martha H. Hoyt, salary to date,	60 00
Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	52 00
H. R. Church, 4 cords wood,	19 50
Surry school district, tuition of Grout and Kenney children,	79 50
C. L. Linsley, services as moderator,	2 00
Frank Dewing, services as clerk,	2 00
F. J. Marvin, services as treasurer,	10 00
H. C. Strout, services on school board,	33 00
J. A. Rawson, Jr., services on school board,	33 00
P. B. Stevens, services on school board,	34 00
F. J. Marvin, school supplies,	5 05
W. F. Gilman, janitor services,	25 00
Fred C. Hall, 3-4 cords wood,	3 38
H. B. Chapin, teams for school board and truant officer,	10 50
Edith H. Buy, salary to date,	24 00
Edward E. Babb & Co., books and supplies,	14 46
Ruth H. Parker, salary to date,	24 00
Marion E. Firmin, salary to date,	24 00
Fannie M. Pettingill, salary to date,	24 00

Mary E. Perkins, salary to date,	26 00
Martha H. Hoyt, salary to date,	30 00
W. R. Hale, work and supplies at East Alstead,	4 50
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Total amount of orders,	\$4,055 78

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

In making our annual report to the selectmen, and citizens of Alstead, we consider it incumbent upon us to determine if our schools are as efficient as they should be for the large amount of money being use for their maintenance.

In December, 1914, we applied to the state superintendent of schools as to the expense of an investigation of the Alstead schools, and found we were entitled to state inspection at no cost to the town.

A deputy was appointed to make a survey as soon as practicable, and we plan to publish his report.

H. C. STROUT,
P. B. STEVENS, M. D.,
J. A. RAWSON, JR.,
School Board.

CURRENT EXPENDITURES.

The current expenditures for the past year have been as follows:

Teachers' salaries,	\$2,702 00
Text books and supplies,	159 90
Repairs,	337 99
Fuel,	139 03
Transportation,	99 35
Services of school board,	100 00
Services of school officers,	20 00

Expenses of school officers,	28 11
Janitor service,	117 75
Elementary school tuition,	173 47
High school and academy tuition,	105 33
Flags and other equipment,	27 85
Truant officers,	13 00

SCHOOL MONEY RECEIVED FROM THE STATE.

Literary fund,	\$91 74
State aid for average attendance,	98 49
State aid for qualified teachers,	216 00
Tuition rebate,	12 00
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	\$418 23

ESTIMATES FOR 1915-16.

Pursuant to law we submit the following estimate of expenses for 1915-16:

High school and academy tuition,	\$150 00
Flags and appurtenances,	25 00
Salaries of district officers,	150 00
Repairs,	200 00
Text books and scholars' supplies,	300 00
Amount of money required by law,	1,125 00
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	\$1,950 00

Additional amount, optional with the district. Last year the amount was \$1,612.50.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen :

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June session, 1897, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1914.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 10	Velma Evelyn	F	L	Guy Webster	Ida Blodgett	Teamster	Alstead	Charlestown		
Jan. 21	Lucy R. Cater	F	3		Lucy R. Cater			Alstead		
Mar. 3	Joseph John	M	1	Joseph Jukas	Elizabeth Lazy	Farmer	Hungary	Austria		
Mar. 6	Sewell W.	M	1	Willouze Gilman	Esther M. Morrison	Farmer	Unity	Lempster		
Mar. 12	Josephine R.	M	4	Fred Wilson	Rose A. Blodgett	Mill hand	Alstead	Springfield, Vt.		
Mar. 14		F	6	John W. Roalf	Mira E. Bemis	Machinist	England	Brookfield, Mass.		
Mar. 17	Earl G.	M	1	Harry W. Jewett	Ona M. Balla	Retired	Walpole	Acworth		
Apr. 30	John	M	1	John Kroncnus	Delia Kodnote	Miner	Russia	Russia		
May 31	Clifford J.	M	1	Joseph Blodgett, Jr.	Mabel Chapman	Laborer	Grandville, N. Y.	Winchendon, Ms		
May 27		M	3	Earl Pitcher	Vera L. Comstock	Teamster	Marlow	Acworth		
May 30	Isabell Lillian	F	1	Grover C. Clark	Dora Wilder	Teamster	Alstead	Alstead		
June 14	Laura Elizabeth	F	4	Pred. C. King	Lelia Baine	Engineer	Andlow, Vt.	Acworth		
June 16	Frank	M	8	John A. Smith	Kosie Baine	Farmer	Alstead	Henniker		
June 17	Henry	M	4	John Swenosky	Kate Givensker	Miner	Poland	Poland		
July 27	Dorothy E. I.	F	2	Frank Clark	Carrie L. Wilder	Miner	Alstead	Alstead		
Oct. 26	Florence May	F	2	Eddie D. Howard	Alice May Lakin	Farmer	Lyme	Alstead		
Oct. 29	Hazel Ruth	F	4	Chas. H. Simmonds	Nora M. Sturey	Farmer	P. E. Island	Laudoff		
Nov. 16		M	2	Ernest W. Burroughs	Edith M. Putney	Blacksmith	Alstead	Westmoreland		
Nov. 21	Maurice Geo.	M	2	Geo. H. Simmonds	Annie M. Carr	Laborer	P. E. Island	Rockingham		
Dec. 20	Florence Mabel	F	2	Ralph Robbins	Gladys E. Hatch	Farmer	Marlow	Alstead		

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition *	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
June 13	Alstead	Ralph P. Jewett	Alstead	25	Miller	Surry	Harry W. Jewett		1st	[Kimball] Rev. Frances A. Alstead
		Lucy E. Pratt	Alstead	22	Housekeeper	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Wm. H. Pratt	W. Fitchburg, Mass.	1st	
June 30	Alstead	Ernest F. Batchelder	Alstead	21	Farmer	Acworth	F. H. Batchelder	Acworth	1st	Rev. Oliver Brown Alstead
		Marion G. Jacobs	Langdon	25		Foxboro, Mass.	Chas. H. Jacobs	St. Johnsbury, N. B.	1st	
Sept. 3	Alstead	Walter H. Magoon	Grafton, Vt.	23	Mining	Orfordville	Loran Magoon	Orange, Vt.	1st	Rev. Oliver Brown Alstead
		Rena May Craig	Alstead	18		Westmoreland	Isaac Craig	Cavendish, Vt.	1st	
Dec. 5	Gilsum	Frank R. Willard	Hill	21	Decorator	Concord	William Willard	Belmont	1st	Rev. Arthur Hunt Gilsum
		Lottie R. Britton	Alstead	16		Alstead	Pretiss L. Britton	Keene	1st	
Dec. 23	Hudson	Lewis Clyde Cooke	Alstead	24	Teacher	Alstead	Chas. H. Cooke	Alstead	1st	Rev. John Baltzly Hudson, Mass.
		Eva Belle Brigham	Hudson, Mass.	26	Clerk.	Hudson, Mass.	Caleb R. Brigham	Marlboro, Mass.	1st	

* What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1914.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	Male or Female.	* S., M., W.	Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 15	James A. Dickey	79	5	11	M	M	Acworth	Acworth	Joseph Dickey	Sally Grant
Feb. 11	Ernest E. Rhodes	26	3	7	M	M	Windham, Vt.	Swansey	Elmer E. Rhodes	Etta Goode
Feb. 16	Chas. H. Smith	61	1		M	S	Sharon, Vt.	Sharon, Vt.	John Smith	Judith Danforth
Feb. 17	Lena L. Allen	44	1	10	F	M	Alstead		Erastus Smith	Alice Raisy
Feb. 19	† Maria Britton	80	8	16	F	W	Walpole	Westmoreland	John Marshall	Hanna March
Jan. 7	† Geo. M. Howard	63	9	17	M	M	Gilsum	Gilsum	Geo. A. Howard	Lodica Davis
Apr. 13	Nancy E. Dickey	76	10	12	F	W			Samuel King	Sophia Egerton
July 26	Harold V. Smith	21	8	3	M	S	East Orange, Vt.	Lowell, Mass.	Chas. D. Smith	Flora Whittier
July 31	Winfield S. Brown	66	8	10	M		Alstead	Lempster	Nathaniel Brown	Eleanor L. Gee
Sept. 3	Mary M. Barnard	32			F	M	Boston, Mass.		Michael McKenna	
Sept. 26	Zenas E. Foster	64	7	25	M	M	Nova Scotia		Zenas E. Foster	
Oct. 9	† Ellen M. Slade	75	11		F					
Oct. 26	Mary Sartwell	89	6	24	F	W	Windsor, Vt.		Amos Adams	Phelina White

* Single, married or widowed.

† Died in Marlow.

‡ Died in Fitchburg, Mass.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY C. METCALF,
Town Clerk.

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